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Coos Bay Times

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YOUR ADS CARRYING
Your store-news, should appear as regularly as does this newspaper. If a newspaper omitted an issue now and then—even for so weighty a reason as fearing that it might rain—it would not be a good newspaper.

SOMEONE HAS SAID:
"A store's advertising space in a newspaper, compared with the space used by other stores, should define its comparative importance in the community! Does your store's advertising space do that?"

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O. C. & N. HOLDINGS REPORTED SOLD TODAY FOR \$125,000

Rumor That F. A. Warner, C. A. Smith and Menasha Company Gets It.

SOUTHERN OREGON CO. TRANSFER ON THURSDAY
Expect Waterworks Deal to Go Through—Many Options Are Taken.

According to reports in circulation here today, the Oregon Coal and Navigation company's holdings of 2,000 acres on Coos Bay, including the Libby mine property and considerable Marshfield property, have been sold for \$125,000 or \$145,000. Just who has bought the property is not officially divulged. However, it is known that F. A. Warner, a son-in-law of C. A. Smith, has been negotiating for it and rumor has it that he, C. A. Smith and the Menasha Woodware company are interested jointly. John Kiernan of Green Bay, Wis., was reported to be interested in the deal. However, Mr. Kiernan when seen at the Chandler today flatly denied that he was interested with Mr. Warner in an O. C. & N. deal. He also denied that he had purchased the O. C. & N. property. He said when there was anything to give out he would let the Times know. He added he had been in here a year ago and was back looking around. His son, W. S. Kiernan and Jay Lawyer arrived here today from Spokane and were busy about town with Mr. Kiernan Sr. One report had that Mr. Lawyer was connected with the Menasha Woodware company. This afternoon, Mr. Lawyer leased the vacant room on the first floor of the new Coke building for office purposes. Local parties received letters from Goodall & Perkins, owners of O. C. & N., stating that the property was sold and was to be turned over today. However, A. E. Morton local representative of the O. C. & N. company, had not been notified to turn the property over or that it had been sold. Mr. Armstrong, local representative of the Menasha Woodware company, left town yesterday for a day or two and could not be seen. F. A. Warner went out before noon with A. H. Powers and could not be reached. Consequently many of the rumors float in connection with it could not be verified beyond what has been told above. Many Reports Afloat. Other rumors afloat were that the reported O. C. & N. deal had some railroad significance. One man had it "doomed" out that it was bought as terminals for the Coos Bay and Boia. If rumors were only real railroads or real money, Coos Bay today would have Wall street beaten several city blocks as a center of finance. Besides the O. C. & N. deal, local parties were busy getting options on property. J. S. Kaufman & Company have taken a number of options, some being in the name of G. S. Arnold. Among the lots optioned are some belonging to Judge Coke and E. A. Anderson in the block north of Commercial avenue and east of Second street. Herbert Lockhart has taken an option, it is said, on the McPherson corner at the Northeast corner of Broadway and Commercial for \$17,000.

Southern Oregon Deal.
As was announced in The Times some days ago, next Thursday, June 20 will witness the formal transfer of the Southern Oregon company's control to the Menasha Woodware company. The Menasha Woodware company have secured control of considerable more than one-half the stock and will probably elect their officers and directors at the annual meeting in Empire Thursday. Elijah Smith retains a very small block of stock in the company and he may be retained as an officer by a complimentary vote of the Menasha Woodware company's stock.

Deal at Cooston.
O. C. Sether, head of the Cooston Townsite Company, arrived here recently and will spend a few days on the Bay. He had nothing definite to give out regarding the negotiations of C. R. Smith, head of the Menasha Woodware company, for 100 acres of tide flat near Cooston which is owned by Mr. Sether's company. Mr. Sether, it is understood, was formerly identified with the Menasha Woodware company. It is also expected that there will be definite developments soon in the negotiations now on for the Coos Bay Water company.

BREAKWATER SAILS TODAY

Carries Fair Sized List of Passengers to the Oregon Metropolis.

The steamer Breakwater sailed today for Portland with a fair-sized passenger list. The passengers sailing on the Breakwater were the following: J. C. Knight, Herbert Thompson, Mrs. W. C. Chase, J. H. Shields, Jno. Hunter, Mrs. Jno Hunter, Mildred Hunter, Lena Hunter, G. A. Gould, G. B. Conklin, D. Hepburn, Mrs. D. Hepburn, W. S. Chandler, Mrs. Kopyke, Mrs. Cook, M. Kara, D. Sares, R. D. Parosch, Tom Parosch, O. Carlson, A. C. Laws, A. Clareys, R. Halliday, C. Leander, Mrs. M. E. Thompson, W. P. Pareo, Joe Robinson, Max Sallarey, Mrs. Chas Baxter, R. E. Paul, Mrs. R. E. Paul, Miss Lucy Kent, Carline Dye, H. M. Gagne, Mrs. A. E. Clausen, R. E. Hedberg, Thos McGovern, Hannah Revue, C. E. Nicholson, Mrs. C. E. Nicholson, S. A. Sheffer, Mrs. S. A. Sheffer, Mrs. A. Sheffer, L. O. Smith, Mrs. L. O. Smith, W. H. Treglow, David Treglow, Wesley Ivy, Gertrude Ivy, Miss Grace Black, Mrs. E. Lewin, Miss Ottlena Lewin, J. Hutton, F. P. Drinker, M. Van Olstine.

ROSEBURG TALKS RECALL

"Tempest in Teapot" Raised by Few Disgruntled Ones.

As a result of some agitation among a few disgruntled residents of Roseburg over the outcome of the McClallen trial it is reported from there that petitions have been prepared for the recall of Judge Coke. It is not thought the matter will result in anything but talk—a sort of "tempest in a teapot"—and Judge Coke or his friends are not exercised over it. Judge Coke is naturally pleased at the many expressions of confidence that have come to him. One of these was a telegram received today from Judge Will R. King, late member of the Oregon Supreme Court and is as follows: "Portland, Or., June 17, '11. Judge J. S. Coke, Marshfield, Ore. 'Have just read of attempt to recall you. Count on me for any assistance I may be able to render you. Will stump your district for you if deemed advisable. If the law given the jury is wrong then we should change the law and not the judge. Though we change the judge the law will remain. (Signed) WILL R. KING."

This gives concrete expression to the exact situation. In his instructions, Judge Coke confined himself to a judicial interpretation of the law. If there is error it is in the law and quarreling with the judge will not correct it. As Judge King tersely and truthfully expresses it, "Though we change the judge the law will remain." However, it is not thought there will be any action other than talk. Mr. Cummings, who was here investigating the plant has reported to the syndicate negotiating for it and it is not unlikely that Flanagan and Bennett will shortly transfer it to the new company. Another report that was started today was that G. X. Wendling, head of the Wendling Lumber company, who is head of the Willamette Railroad Company that was incorporated a few days ago at Salem to build from Eugene to Coos Bay was on the Bay. This could not be verified and is doubted. Mr. Wendling's company owned the gasoline schooner Washelore which was recently lost below Rogue River. Engineer Aston of the Coos Bay and Eastern Electric Company has taken option on tide flat holdings of Pat Hennessey and Henry Sengstacken in front of Eastside. He is also said to have taken other options.

DETECTIVE BURNS IS INDICTED

Indianapolis Grand Jury Brings Indictments Against Burns, Detective Hossick of Los Angeles and J. McNamara.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 17.—

CHARRED BODY AMID RUINS

Body of Alexander McNabb Is Found In Burned Cabin at Roseburg.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

ROSEBURG, Ore., June 17.—The charred body of a man named Alexander McNabb was found in the debris of his burned cabin at Hoover, twelve miles south of West Roseburg, last night. Foul play is suspected as some valuables are missing. There is no clue as yet to be obtained.

AGAINST VOTE FOR WOMAN

Cardinal Gibbons Scores Woman Suffrage at St. Joseph's Commencement Exercises

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

BALTIMORE, Md., June 17.—Cardinal Gibbons scored woman suffrage in his address last night at commencement exercises at St. Joseph College. He said, "I think the place for women is in the home. Women should not want to vote, but if they took proper interest in the affairs of their husbands and brothers they could easily have them cast their ballots in the right manner. In doing this, women will be the champions of what is right."

TWO SLAIN BY UNKNOWN MEN

Idaho Sheriff and Conductor Shot Down by Men Under Arrest.

(By Associated Press.)

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, June 17.—An Idaho county sheriff whose name has not been learned yet, was shot fatally today, and Conductor Kidd was shot and killed on a southbound Oregon Short Line train at Spencer, Ida., by two unknown men. The sheriff boarded the train at High Bridge, and arrested two men. When the train reached Spencer, the sheriff put the prisoners in the smoking car and began to search them. He took two pistols from one of them, and while he was reaching out for handcuffs, one of the men grabbed up a pistol and shot the sheriff through the abdomen. Conductor Kidd seized the men who turned a pistol on the conductor and killed him. The prisoners then pulled the bell cord, and when the train slowed down, jumped off and fled. A posse is in pursuit.

Detective W. J. Burns and James Hossick, a city detective of Los Angeles, were indicted on the charges of kidnapping John J. McNamara, secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers from this city, and McNamara was indicted on charges of conspiracy to dynamite by the Marine county grand jury today.

LORIMER PROBE WIDE IN SCOPE

Senate Committee Practically Decides to Call Entire Illinois Legislature.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Lorimer investigating committee of the Senate committee today practically decided to summon as witnesses in the inquiry the entire membership of the Illinois Legislature which elected Senator Lorimer.

CURRY MUST STAND TRIAL

Recorder Butler Overrules Demurrer Presented by C. F. McKnight.

Recorder Butler this morning overruled the demurrer presented by Attorney C. F. McKnight in the case of D. A. Curry charged with violating the city building ordinance. The city was represented by J. D. Goss. Recorder Butler set the case for Monday morning next at 10 o'clock. In the demurrer, C. F. McKnight retained by Curry set forth that the ordinance was invalid. The case of Charles Lovegren arrested for selling liquor on Sunday, was set for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The complaint against Lovegren was filed on May 29th. Tom Bennett, representing Lovegren, presented a demurrer, but Recorder Butler overruled it.

COAST LEAGUE BALL SCORES

Portland Defeats Vernon By a Score of 8 to 3—Other Coast League Games.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club	Won	Lost	Cent
Portland	42	28	600
San Francisco	43	35	551
Vernon	38	37	507
Oakland	40	39	506
Sacramento	34	40	459
Los Angeles	29	47	382

PORTLAND, June 17.—Portland defeated Vernon yesterday by a score of 8 to 3. The results of the games played in the Coast League were as follows: At Los Angeles—R 8 H 16 Portland. 8 16 Vernon. 3 8 At San Francisco—R 8 H 16 Oakland. 1 3 Los Angeles. 2 10 At Sacramento—R 7 H 17 Sacramento. 1 7 San Francisco. 7 12 Reliable Photo Supplies and finishing at Walker Studio. In addition to our usual flavors, we will have for tomorrow MAPLE, WALNUT ICE CREAM—ALL PURE—A. H. LEWIS, Confectionery.

SHASTA LIMITED HELD UP BY ROBBERS AT DRAIN LAST NIGHT

GRIMES IS IN WASHINGTON

Coos Bay Man Writes Interesting Letter From National Capital.

Wm. Grimes, who left here some time ago on an extended trip with Mrs. Grimes, is now in Washington, D. C. In a letter here, he says: "I struck this burg a week ago and have been having a good time taking in the sights. 'The last day or two I have spent with Congressman Hawley on Coos Bay matters. He has been on the job all right and is looking after Coos Bay's interests. 'On our visit to the Postoffice Department, we found that, in compliance with the request of Dr. McCormac, president of the Chamber of Commerce, for free mail delivery in Marshfield, an inspector had been ordered to go to Marshfield to investigate as to the street markings, house numbering, sidewalks, etc. I told them that I thought we were pretty well up on those things and that there would be very little to do to meet the requirements fully. 'The bar dredge matter was also taken up by Mr. Hawley. They will have the plans ready the latter part of the month when bids will be asked. They stated that they are working out an entirely new plan of construction, superior to anything heretofore built, in anticipation of the heavy seas on the North Pacific coast. Figuring out the new plans has delayed them somewhat but they are enthusiastic over what the dredge will accomplish. 'We also visited the Treasury Department to see about the reappointment of Major Tower as collector of Customs at Coos Bay. They informed us that it would be taken up on the return of Secretary McVeagh to the city. Then we were informed that the abolition of the position of a collector of customs at the Coos Bay Port of Entry had been recommended and I immediately asked for a hearing, a chance to present some facts why it should be maintained. The First Assistant Secretary allowed us some time and taking a map, I tried to show them that they were making a big mistake in trying to abolish the port of entry at Coos Bay. I told him that we would not make any particular claim for any great amount of business in the past but would for the future. I called his attention to the great resources around Coos Bay and the remarkable development that is bound to follow the completion of a railroad there. I asked him not to insist on his recommendation against the port and requested that other Coos Bay people be allowed to be heard. I suggested that he consider a report from Dr. McCormac, Dr. Mings and J. W. Bennett on the matter but gave him to understand that unless he would give such a matter proper consideration that we didn't want to go to the bother of compiling it. 'Congressman Hawley says there is not a bit of danger of the Treasury Department getting a resolution through Congress for the abolition of the Coos Bay Port of Entry. This may be true but it is had to have an unfavorable report against us on file and then with the present political mixups in national affairs, it is hard to tell what they will not do. In the recommendation, three ports are provided for California and only one for Oregon—that being at Portland, of course. 'Congressman Hawley is looking after needs pretty carefully and talks in pretty plain language to the departments when it is necessary. 'I left Mrs. Grimes at Harveys-

Two Unmasked Men Hold Up Southern Pacific Train at Points of Guns.

REGISTERED MAIL POUCHES ARE TAKEN

Store Robbery at Drain May Furnish Clue to Bandits.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

COOKE IS SET FREE BY JURY

Declared Not Guilty of Stealing \$24,000 From Big Four Railroads.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 17.—Edward S. Cooke today was declared not guilty of embezzling \$24,000 from the Big Four Railroads. The jury was out one hour and fifty-seven minutes. Cooke, who will return here soon, Give my regards to all on Coos Bay. Be sure that The Times is sent to me at Harveysburg as that is the only chance I have of keeping track of the Coast League ball games. I saw Washington play Boston here Monday. 'I heard President Taft make his Decoration Day speech at the Arlington National Cemetery. I also had the pleasure of a visit with him at the White House yesterday.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

PORTLAND, Ore., June 17.—Track wheat prices: Club, 86c; Bluestem, 90c; Red Russian, 85c; Valley, 87c; Portfield, 87c. CHICAGO, Ill., June 17.—July, 86 5/8c; September, 86 5/8c; December, 89 1/8c. TACOMA, Wash., June 17.—Wheat prices unchanged.

FAST TIME TO ROSEBURG BY COOS BAY AND ROSEBURG AUTO LINE.
Leave Marshfield at 6:15 each morning and reach Roseburg in 8 1/2 hours. Leave Roseburg at 6:45 a. m. daily and reach Marshfield in 8 1/2 hours. Wade & Goodale, Marshfield ticket office at Blanco Cigar Store.

Fine HAND PAINTED China, cut glass and silver FOR PRESENTS—Red Cross Jewelry Department.

NAVAL RESERVES NOTICE.
All members of the Marshfield Naval Reserves are requested to meet at the hall Monday evening, June 19, for regular drill. LIEUT. R. O. GRAVES. PHONE I. S. KAUFMAN & CO YOUR COAL ORDERS—\$4.50 PER TON.